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TREASURY PASS SECRETARY SIMON

E.O. 11652: GDS

TAGS: OVIP (SIMON, WILLIAM E)

SUBJECT: SECRETARY SIMON'S VISIT TO EGYPT

REF: CAIRO 2664

1. WHILE OFFER BY PRIME MINISTER TO COVER ALL HOTEL EXPENSES FOR SECRETARY SIMON AND PARTY DURING BOTH LUXOR AND CAIRO STOPS APPRECIATED, EMBASSY IS CORRECT THAT USG DOES NOT REPEAT NOT PAY FOR OFFICIAL VISITORS OF SIMILAR RANK TO U.S. UNLESS SPECIAL CIRCUMSTANCES PERTAIN. WE WOULD PREFER, THEREFORE, IF IT CAN BE DONE GRACEFULLY AND WITHOUT OFFENSE TO EGYPTIANS TO DECLINE PRIME MINISTER'S OFFER.

2. IF OFFER CANNOT REPEAT NOT BE TACTFULLY DECLINED, HOWEVER, WE CAN ACCEPT. WE HAVE ACCEPTED SUCH OFFERS OF EGYPTIAN HOSPITALITY IN PAST. INGERSOLL

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